

SCORES OF BUILDINGS

Not Less Than Forty Going Up in Lee District.

WORK IN OTHER SECTIONS

Flats and Residences in Large Numbers Under Way—Plans for Factories and Stores Are Discussed.

Lee District seems to have the most activity in building town at present. It is estimated that not less than forty first-class residences are either receiving the finishing touches, are in course of erection or are now being planned by architects. This means the expenditure in Richmond just now for building in this section alone is nearly as much as \$200,000. Mr. Ancarrow has a good sized force of bricklayers at work on the foundations of the proposed splendid office building of the Virginia State Insurance Company. The walls are being built wide and strong, sufficient to support many floors above the ground.

The stores and flats across the street on the famous Allan lot have been completed and a number of both stores and flats have been rented to well known business men and families. The residences fronting on Fifth Street are commodious and convenient. They are being completed first and are now the homes of happy families. The buildings on the lot are a great improvement and will doubtless increase the value of the property in the neighborhood.

HANDSOME RESIDENCE.
Contractor Wilson has just completed the extensive improvements to the residence now owned by Mr. Hickok, on West Franklin, nearly opposite the Chesterfield apartment house. Mr. Hickok will have one of the handsomest homes in the State when the decorators are through with their work. It was a satisfactory residence on the lot before Mr. Hickok bought it. The late R. B. Chaffin, real estate agent, had it for his home for a number of years.

Considerable progress has been made in the last two weeks in the finishing work on the Chesterfield apartment house. The lower floors are now practically complete, while the carpenters, decorators and others are busily engaged upon the upper floors.

The newest flats in Richmond are those just completed at the southeast corner of Second and Franklin streets. These are exceedingly bright and well arranged apartments and roomy enough for the largest families.

Mr. T. J. Todd's two residences on West Grace Street are nearing completion. He will live in one and it is expected that Captain A. B. Quinn will take the other.

THE BANK BUILDING.
Contractor Pennock, of Philadelphia, are progressing but slowly on the new home of the American National Bank, at the southeast corner of Tenth and Main Streets. It was expected that this eight-story structure was to have been completed by February 1st.

Already plans are being discussed for building in the spring, factories, stores and residences. Richmond is not only a growing city, but old buildings which have long been eye-sores are being torn down and new and handsome ones are being erected in their places. This is eminently true of the proposed razing of the Swan Tavern building on Broad. The owner, Mr. John Tyler, will soon have it torn down and several new stores will be erected on the site.

ELECTRIC CARS FOR SPENCER

One Hundred Men Working for Anti-Saloon League.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SALISBURY, N. C., Oct. 3.—It is stated officially that cars will be running on the new Salisbury-Spencer Street Railway by the first of the new year, and that the Northern capitalists are interested in the building of the road now have the money in hand for the purchase of the Salisbury telephone system and the electric light plant at this place. They have been placed over most of the new road and rails are now on the ground for a good portion of the track.

Mr. L. Scott Allen, of Washington, D. C., of the Land and Industrial Department of the Southern Railway, was here yesterday on an important business connected with the company's interests at this place. He indicated that the matter of erecting the new shop building at Spencer is now receiving careful consideration of the Southern officials.

Nearly one hundred men are now at work in co-operation with the Salisbury Anti-Saloon League in an active campaign against the saloons. The election to be held November 2d is looked forward to with much interest by both the wets and dries, and it is believed by many that the saloons will be voted out of the city. The Rev. Sam. Jones and Rev. George Stuart are yet expected to hold a ten-days' meeting here before the election comes off.

Engineer W. D. Sweeney, of the Southern, who was seriously injured in a wreck, which occurred at High Point last December, has returned from Richmond, where he has been under treatment for some time. He is able to walk without crutches, but never hopes to be well again, having had his legs permanently injured.

JOHN ISH CLEARED ON SECOND TRIAL

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WARRENTON, Va., Oct. 3.—The trial of John Ish, charged with attempting to criminally assault Mrs. Mary Cubbage on June 25th, ended last night, with a verdict of not guilty.

This was the second trial of Ish, at the August term he being convicted and sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

A new trial was granted by Judge C. M. White, on the grounds of newly discovered evidence, reflecting upon the character of Mrs. Cubbage.

The defendant was represented by Keith and Keith, who were assisted by R. W. Walker, of Fairfax.

Commonwealth's Attorney James P. Jeffries was also assisted by R. A. McIntyre.

HOSSTETTER'S CELEBRATED BITTERS.
If you are troubled with Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headaches, Kidney Ailments, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Neuralgia, or any other ailment, you need the Bitters at once. It will cure you and restore you to perfect health. A fair trial will convince you.

THALHIMER'S GRAND EXPOSITION

Of New Autumn Styles of Ladies' and Misses' Suits, Cloaks Furs and Skirts.

Most Fashionable Suits.

\$12.50—Heavy Black Cheviot Suits, blouse jacket, deep peplum, collarless cape collar, finished with silk ornaments, full sleeve, satin lined, skirt made in the prevailing mode, lapped seams, en train. Special at \$12.50.
\$15.00—Prince Albert Walking Suits of English Tweeds, Fancy Cheviots and Mannish Suitings, coats 30-inch to 40-inch length, nobby flared skirts. Also, Dress Suits in navy, brown and black extra quality Venetian cloth, collarless cape collar, blouse with peplum, taffeta trimmed; skirt made seven-gored flare, lapped seams. Two extra values at \$15.00.
\$20.00—Walking Suits of Cheviot and Fancy Mixtures, jackets collarless Norfolk effect, fitted back, entire coat strapped and taffeta lined; skirt strapped to match jacket. Very nobby at \$20.00.
\$25.00—Handsome Dress Suits, plain broadcloths, Louis XIV. coats, shoulder capes, piped with peau de soie and finished with Persian lamb trimming, taffeta lined throughout, perfect fitting, well tailored skirts.
\$30.00 and \$35.00—Dress Suits of handsome plain broadcloths and panne-cheviots, a variety of styles. The plain corset-form 36-inch coats, stitched straps, taffeta lined, skirt trimmed to match jacket, and panne-cheviot suits, short box-plaited coat, taffeta collar, vest, straps and girdle and plaited skirt, are most popular.

Handsome Fall Skirts.

The most complete assortment of Dress and Walking Skirts found in any Skirt Department south of New York. Walking Skirts of Plain Meltons, made in the latest style, hip trimming, \$3.48 value, at \$2.98.
Several styles of plain cloths and English tweeds at \$5.00.
Strictly Tailor-Made Skirts, of Mannish suitings, strapped seams, at \$6.48.
The sixteen-gored Corset Skirt, plain cloths, navy and black. Our leader. \$7.48.

Novelties in Walking Skirts, made of mannish cloths, plain, tailor-made and kilted effects, habit or inverted plait backs. \$8.48 to \$12.50.

Dress Skirts.

We are showing Dress Skirts in plain and panne-cheviots, broadcloth, zibeline, taffeta, peau de soie, voile and acolian cloth. \$3.48 to \$25.00.
Silk Coats, just the thing for a light fall wrap.

The New Laces An Entrancing Display.

Importation after importation received day after day, until now we are able to announce the completeness of our assortment—an assortment so comprehensive, so exclusive, so dainty and so generally attractive as to deserve a visit from every woman within reach of our store whose tastes inspire a love for the beautiful. Nor is the charm of viewing the only attraction, the element of price—the lowest ever quoted hereabouts—plays an important part in this showing.

Superb lines of Silk Cluny or Vegetable Silk, Point Venise, Guipure, Yak or Wool Calientes, and Applique, in black, white, ecru and buerre; Bands, Insertions, Galloons, Medallions, Collars, Stoles, Allovers, and the entire collection priced at lowest possible point.

Magnificent Coat Display.

Silk Coffee Coats.....\$5.00, \$7.48 and \$10.00
Silk Box-Coats.....\$7.50 to \$25.00
Covert Coats—Every style is here represented. Plain tailor-made coats, 19-inch to 36-inch length, corset-form and Norfolk effects. Prices...\$5.00 to \$25.00
The latest novelties in Children's and Misses' Coats just received.

Newest Dress Goods.

Pronounced examples of superior value-giving. The ambition of this department is to place before its patrons every meritorious fabric possible to be found in a thorough search the world over, and to do it at the least possible cost to them that strictly legitimate merchandising will permit. Our special prices express unrivalled values.

A new line of Cream Goods, such as Voile, Etamine, Lansdown, Zibelines, Albatrosses, Henriettas, Broadcloths and Serges, from, a yard.....50c. to \$2.50
Beautiful assortment of Blue and Gray Mixed, for suits to sell for, yard...\$1.00

A full line of Zibeline and Camel's-Hair Cloth, to sell for, yard, 50c. to \$1.50
Just received a nice assortment of Fancies, to sell for, yard.....50c.
Just received a full line of Striped Tricots, a 39c. value, for, yard.....35c.

The New Dress Trimmings

are more varied and beautiful than ever. Something new is daily added to this comprehensive assortment. There are Appliques, Jets, Spangles, Pearls, Steels, Silk and Vegetable Silk fibers, Bulgarian, Persian and Turkish effects, in Ornaments, Drops, Pendants, Bands, Insertions and Garnitures of all kinds for the correct adornment of gowns and waists. These, too, are priced just as low as they can be consistently.

Ribbons Temptingly Priced.

Fancies in the New Autumn Weaves.

2-inch wide All-Silk Satin Ribbon, gros-grain back, in black only. Special, yard.....10c.
All-Silk Taffeta Neck Ribbons, in the most desirable shades, Nos. 22, 40, 60, to be sold at.....10c., 12c., 15c.
A Fancy Black Ribbon, in satin stripe; also corded, every thread silk. 25c., 29c.

White Waistings

will be more popular this season than ever. Beautiful mercerized fabrics that look very much like silk, yet are heavy and comfortable as warmest wool, and launder like muslin. We are showing rich and exclusive kinds in Satin Damask, Jacquard and Madras, Oxford and Basket Weaves, at prices like these—35c., 50c., 65c. and 75c.

New Gloves.

You need a new pair of Gloves or may be two or three pairs. Here's the chance. Here's a two-clasp prime German Lambskin Ladies' Glove, one row of embroidery and in a full line of colors, mode, beaver, brown, oxford, slate, navy, black and white—special.....\$1.
The Marvel Washable Glove Kid, two-clasp Point de Paris stitching in black, white, pearl, mastic, mode and gray, at.....\$1.75

A New Veil.

to be good must be of chiffon, and preferably of black, brown or blue with white border—hemstitched, of course, or black covered with small chenille dots. We have these at 50c., 75c., \$1 to \$1.75.

Infants' Goods.

Lots of the new things for the little folks to wear for the cool autumn days are now at hand for you to choose from. There are dainty Caps, warm little Coats, Booties, etc., etc., etc.

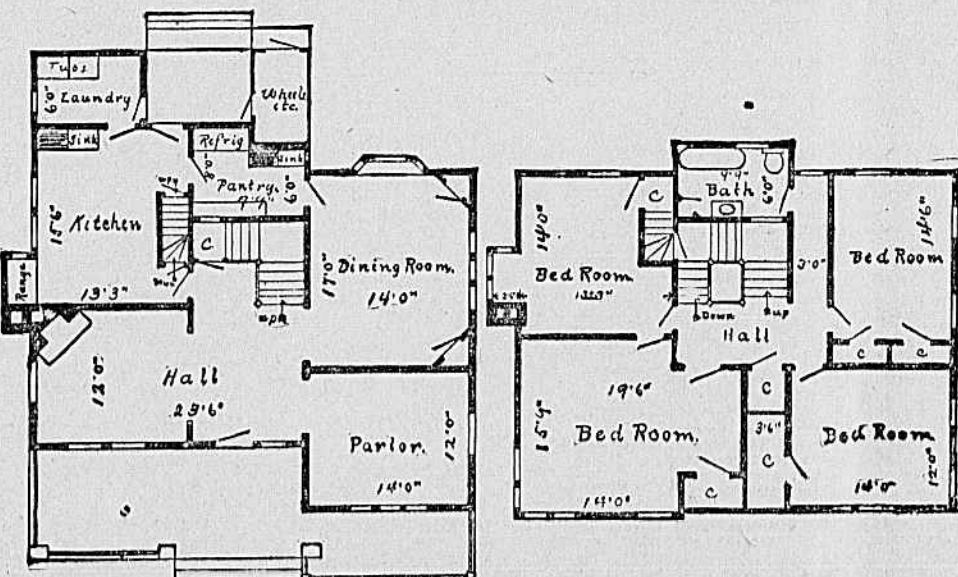
The Art Department.

Just received a new line of fringed Scarfs, in red, blue and white.....25c. and.....50c.
Stamped Cushion Tops, with backs to match, each.....25c.
Painted Cushions, in different colors, each.....50c.
Cotton Cords and Tassels, in all colors.....25c.
Silk Cords and Tassels, in all colors, 50c. and.....85c.
Mercerized Cords and Tassels, each.....50c.
Laundry Bags, in all colors and designs, 25c. and.....50c.
Applique Squares and Scarfs to match, upwards from.....25c.
Cords by the yard, in silk, all colors, per yard.....12c.

Household Linen Dept.

It has recently added a line of open-worked all-linen Table Cloths in 8-10-12- and 14-4, which to those of limited means afford an opportunity of securing a handsome and durable cloth at very low prices, each \$1.25 to \$2.25.
The better or rather finer grades of hemstitched goods in Cloths alone or in sets of Cloth, and Napkins to match, set in prices from \$3.50 to \$15 a set and to \$10 for a Cloth.

PICTURESQUE AND COMFORTABLE HOME, COSTING \$3,800 TO BUILD



This design is an extremely pleasing and well-arranged house, having the graceful effects of sloping roofs which belong to story and a half houses, while it is in reality cut nowhere on the second floor. Its graceful bays and porch—partly covered and partly open—with the sweeping curves of the roof make it a very striking house outside, while the interior is extremely well planned. The house is shingled, with a rough-cast frieze under the eaves. It can be built of brick or stone—very well adapted to either—but this, of course, will cost more; 375 more in ordinary brick. Stone depends upon the cost of same in your locality. The finish is of chestnut; hardwood floors in inexpensive hard wood for first floors. Tiled fire-place with pretty mantel. Hot-air heating and good, plain open plumbing, porcelain enameled tub. The hall is a very large one, and is

desired, the portion of it which is partly screened off by an open partition with columns, can be made another room with sliding doors or opening for curtains only. The stairs are very pretty, the back stairs join them on the second landing. There is a pretty parlor and a beautiful dining-room, with a bay and corner china closets. An excellent pantry connects this with the kitchen, which has, however, a separate entrance to the hall. There is a small laundry. By enlarging it somewhat, the "wheel-room" can be converted into an automobile house, or it may be included in the Plaza. On the second floor there are four very nice bed-rooms, with excellent closets, and a bath-room, with open plumbing. There is one room and storage space in the attic. The window effects on the second floor, are very pretty and seats can be put in where desired. The house looks particularly well stained all green except the frieze, or a chest-

nut brown with green or red roof. The ceilings are 9 feet and 8 feet 6 inches. Width 40 feet. Depth 47 feet.

VERY LOW RATES

To Richmond, Va., and Return via the Southern Railway, Account the Richmond Horse Show.

For the above occasion the Southern Railway will sell special tickets from all points in Virginia and North Carolina at one fare for the round trip, plus fifty cents, including one admission to the Horse Show. These special tickets on sale from Virginia points October 12 to 17, inclusive, and from North Carolina points October 12 to 15, inclusive, return limit October 19.

Do not fail to visit Richmond on this interesting occasion. Music by the United States Marine Corps Band, of Washington, D. C. Afternoon and night exhibitions.

YOUTH TO AID JAMESTOWN

Young Men to Be Organized Into Auxiliary.

AMPHITRITE AS TENDER

Recruits Aboard the Franklin Will Practice With Her Big Guns—Make Officers Bet on Their Ship Against Missouri.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, Va., Oct. 3.—The young men of the various cities of Virginia will be organized into an auxiliary to the Jamestown Exposition Company, and will aid in the effort to raise the three-quarters of a million which must be subscribed to the capital stock of the company before the first of the year, in order to render the charter of the company valid.

The movement originated in Portsmouth. Mr. Griffin Ellis Staples is heading the movement in this city. He has the active co-operation of Third Vice-President T. J. Wool, who is in charge of the promotion of the exposition, and of Secretary Gwynn T. Shepherd.

The company will issue a special letter, approving and endorsing the undertaking of the young men. This will set forth the fact that they are virtually a part of the company, and that what they are doing is a patriotic effort to aid the great enterprise, which meets with the hearty approval of the management.

WORK ALREADY STARTED.
As soon as Norfolk and Portsmouth are organized, the scheme will be extended to all the towns and cities in the State. The public school children will be interested, and the college men in all the various institutions of learning in the State will be appealed to aid in the great work of celebrating in a fitting manner the first settlement by the English.

The work among the college men has already started. Mr. Robert Saunders, of this city, is organizing the students at William and Mary College. The University and other colleges will be organized as rapidly as possible.

As soon as this work is completed the ladies and public school pupils will be organized. Mr. Staples believes that this plan will do much toward solving the knotty problem now confronting the exposition magnates.

NO OFFICIAL COGNIZANCE.
The Police Commissioners at their session to-day took no official cognizance of the allegation of C. H. Oliver in that Policeman Pallette was correspondent in his divorce suit. No formal charges against the officer have been filed.

Rev. J. T. T. Hundley, of Essex county, Va., has accepted the call extended him by the First Church, of Christ's Disciples, this city. He will preach his first sermon to-morrow.

MONITOR AS TENDER.
The Norfolk V. A. commandant's office of the yard was notified to-day that the monitor Amphitrite sailed at 8 o'clock from Newport for this port. The monitor will be kept in commission and

used as a tender to the receiving ship Franklin.

The recruits aboard the Franklin will practice with her big twelve inch guns. They have been taught navigation and how to handle the secondary batteries on the yacht Restless and Syren, but these little vessels have no guns larger than one and six pounders.

The Maine will be coaled Monday from the collier Caesar and will leave Tuesday for Barron Island for her standardization tests. Her officers are making bets that they will beat any record the Missouri, her sister ship, may have made on her builders' trial to-day.

NO FAVORITISM.
The accuracy of recent publications hereabouts to the effect that non-union workmen registered at the navy yard here are discriminated against in favor of union men is emphatically denied at the navy yard.

Mr. T. Murden, of Norfolk, who has been superintendent of the mills of the Atlantic Coast Lumber Company at Georgetown, S. C., is dead. He was but twenty-six years old and was killed in an accident at the mill.

The committee of business men appointed to wait on the Governor of Virginia and secure his attendance at the Jamestown mass meeting, went to Richmond to-day. Judge T. S. Garrett and S. S. Sherwood compose the committee.

Mrs. Groof Sick.
Mrs. Rosa Groof is quite sick at her residence, No. 9 West Cary Street.

ONE OF RICHMOND'S INDUSTRIES

The Making of Blotting and Absorbent Paper is on a Very Large Scale.

It may not be generally known to the people of Richmond, but it is nevertheless a fact, that there is more blotting and absorbent paper made in this city than in all the rest of the United States together.

That Richmond has become headquarters on absorbent papers is due to the recent acquisition by the city of the Standard Paper Manufacturing Company's splendid new mill at the Manchester end of Mayo's bridge.

The mill has a capacity of 20,000 lbs. of paper in twenty-four hours, and has been successfully operated since May, 1902, the company being incorporated in August, 1901, with \$100,000 capital. The officers being C. H. Sutton, president; D. O. Davis, vice-president, and R. S. Crump, secretary and treasurer, with Mr. W. J. Stiles, superintendent, who has personally planned and supervised the construction of the plant. All of the above being well known local citizens.

The Standard mill occupies one of the finest sites around the city, being situated on the Manchester power canal, taking out a water development of 300 horse-power, which is supplemented by 100 horse-power steam. They are also immediately upon the tracks of the Southern Railway.

A trip through the mill and an inspection of the latest improved paper-making machinery, much of it working automatically, is a treat for the engineer as well as the uninitiated. One of the most striking things noticeable is the big filter plant, which sends out a flow of the clearest water at the rate of 700 gallons per minute, and this flow comes from the orange and saffron liquid of the river James. The running expense of this plant is next to nothing, as the water is all handled by gravity.

The product of the company goes all over the United States, principally to the large Northern and Western cities, though no little of it finds way to Europe and America's insular possessions.

The Standard Company are the manufacturers of the well known "Standard," "Imperial" and "Sterling" Blottings and "Standard" Matrix.

NEARLY READY FOR FALL FESTIVAL

Loop-the-Loop to Be the Sensation at the Baseball Park.

Preparations for the Fall Festival, which is to be held at the base-ball park, are being rapidly pushed, and next week the work of constructing the stages and platforms for the big aggregation of shows and the electrical construction will be commenced.

The carnival will open Monday, October 12th, and will continue one week, being open every afternoon and evening. The electrical displays will be particularly brilliant, and the score or more high class shows of the Gashill-Mundy-Lewis Carnival Company are said to be excellent.

Foremost among the free acts is the Loop the Loop. No act has occasioned such sensation and none has killed and injured so many men. It has been tried by many, but accomplished by few. A dozen men have been killed outright while trying to successfully ride it, and a score or more are now helpless cripples as the result. It is the newest and most novel loop in existence, inasmuch as its exit does not descend beside the circle proper, but by means of a spring cradle-trap in the bottom of the loop it is made complete in one turn. After the rider has ascended one side, he can quickly shift and makes a clear track out the other side. In the event of the trap being slow or failing to work quick enough, the rider would be instantly killed. Day after day, the present rider, takes his life in his hands every time he makes the deadly ride. The sensation he creates as he dashes down the incline and around the circle is beyond description.

Special days will also be a feature of the carnival, among which will be Monday, opening day. City and county officials and military. The Mayor is expected to make the opening address Tuesday, Petersburg folks. Richmond Made Orphan Asylum inmates and Children's Day, all day, and under fifteen years paying but five cents at the gates and shows. The Jr. O. U. A. M., Red Men, Royal Arcanum and Woodmen will also be present. Wednesday, St. Paul's Orphan Asylum, the A. O. U. E., and Catholic Knights of America. Thursday, Manchester folks, B. P. O. E., I. O. O. F., K. of P., police and firemen. Friday, trades unions, K. of G. H. S., Legion of Honor and Fraternal Legion. Saturday, Children's Day, Oriental, caelestian and confetti battles.

CALLED TO PENNSYLVANIA
Young Lady Who Swallowed Iodine Will Recover.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WINCHESTER, Va., Oct. 3.—Rev. Dr. Ellis Hay, of Roanoke, has been nominated to succeed Rev. Dr. R. L. Dufferin, as pastor of Grace Reformed Church, Shipensburg, Pa.

Miss Isabelle Hanson, of near Mallwood, who swallowed iodine by mistake, is somewhat better, and it is believed, that the young lady will recover.

Term Expires To-morrow.
The regular October term of the Chancery Court of the city of Richmond will begin to-morrow, Judge Daniel Grinnam presiding.

Judgment Rendered.
In the Law and Equity Court yesterday judgment was rendered against Sadie W. Ray, in favor of Rother and Company, for \$100.00.